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a. For prior application

Application No.: 09/276,455
Filing Date: March 25, 1999
Title: CHAPERONE FRAGMENTS
Attorney Docket No.: 674508-2001
First Named Inventor: Persht, Alan R.

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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 09/276,455, filed on 3/25/99, entitled CHAPERONE FRAGMENTS.

NOTES

FILING QUALIFICATIONS: The prior application identified above must be a nonprovisional application that is either: (1) complete as defined by 37 C.F.R. 1.51(b) or (2) the national stage of an international application in compliance with 35 U.S.C. 371. Effective May 29, 2000, a CPA may only be filed in a utility or a plant application if the prior nonprovisional application was filed before May 29, 2000. A CPA may be filed in a design application regardless of the filing date of the prior application. See "Request for Continued Examination Practice changes to and Provisional Application Practice," Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1333 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office (Apr. 11, 2000).

C-I-P- NOT PERMITTED: A continuation-in-part application cannot be filed as a CPA under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d), but must be filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b).

EXPRESS ABANDONMENT OF PRIOR APPLICATION: The filing of this CPA is a request to expressly abandon the prior application as of the filing date of the request for a CPA. 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) must be used to file a continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part of an application that is not to be abandoned.

ACCESS TO PRIOR APPLICATION: The filing of this CPA will be construed to include a waiver of confidentiality by the applicant under 35 U.S.C. 122 to the extent that any member of the public who is entitled under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.14 to access to, copies of, or information concerning, the prior application may be given similar access to, copies of, or similar information concerning, the other application or applications in the file jacket.

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MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(j))				+ \$ 280 =	
				BASIC FEE (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)	740.00
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 908.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.27).					
* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent. ** Reissue independent claims over original patent				TOTAL =	\$ 454.00

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